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The amendment filed February 21, 2002 proposes amendments to the specification and claims that do not comply with 37 CFR 1.173(b), which sets forth the manner of making amendments in reissue applications. A supplemental paper correctly amending the reissue application is required.

In particular, the amended changes that add language to the Applicant's specification and claims, which are not original to the patent, must be completely underlined (MPEP 1453).

A shortened statutory period for reply to this letter is set to expire ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS, whichever is longer, from the mailing date of this letter.

  
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